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For : EXTERNAL PREPARATION FOR SKIN AND METHOD OF USING THE
SAME

DECLARATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.132
CONCERNING SPELLING OF CISTUS MONSPELIENSIS L.

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

I, the undersigned, Taku HOSHINO, citizen of Japan, do solemnly declare as follows:

1. That I am a co-inventor of the above-identified application.
2. That I have reviewed the Final Office Action mailed October 9, 2008 as well as the application that was filed in connection with the above-identified application when entering the national stage in the U.S. on April 14, 2005, published as WO 2004/041236 A1 (and hereinafter referred to as "the originally filed application") and the Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. 1.111 in Response to Office Action Mailed March 28, 2008 (hereinafter "Amendment").

3. That I have reviewed U.S. Patent No. 6,313,214 B1 that is cited in the Final Office Action.

3. That the term "Cistus monoperiensis L." appearing in specification is an incorrect spelling of the academic name, with the correct academic name being "Cistus monspeliensis L."